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CURRENT LEGAL PERIODICALS AND BOOK REVIEWS.

A TREATISE ON THE INCORPORATION AND ORGANIZATION OF CORPORATIONS CREATED UNDER THE "BUSINESS CORPORATION ACTS" OF THE SEVERAL STATES AND TERRITORIES OF THE UNITED STATES, Including therein a Synopsis-Digest of the General Incorporation Acts of the Several Commonwealths, with Decisions bearing Thereon; also, Forms for Drawing Charters under the Laws of the Several States and Territories; General and Specific Object Clauses for Insertion in Charters; By-Laws, Minutes, etc., etc. By THOMAS GOLD FROST, LL.D., Ph.D., of the New York Bar, author of "Treatise on Guaranty Insurance," "The French Constitution of 1793," etc. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. 1905.

To this title little need be added. The book is what it purports to be, and should prove very serviceable to the active practitioner. The first part of the work, comprising over two hundred pages, deals with the law upon Incorporation and Organization, which is logically presented under such subjects as, "Drafting the Charter," "Procuring the Charter," "Organization after Incorporation," "Issuance and Payment of Capital Stock," "Legislative Control over Domestic Corporations," and "Legislative Control over Foreign Corporations." While many references are given, they are not as copious as those in most text-books. It has been the object of the author to give those cases only which directly support the proposition for which they are cited.

In Part II will be found a Synopsis-Digest of the Incorporation Act of each state and territory, with decisions of the courts relating to the same. Forms for Articles of Incorporation, Specific Object Clauses, over two hundred in number and covering almost every species of business imaginable, Clauses Regulating Business, Preferred Stock Clauses, etc., are also given.

From the various Incorporation Acts the author has compiled seventeen pages of tabulated questions and answers, which contain much valuable information that otherwise could be obtained only by referring to the act itself.

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